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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

BOX RCE
Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/525,477 ✓
Confirmation Number	9792
Filing Date	March 15, 2000
First Named Inventor	Hisashi MIYAZAWA
Group Art Unit	2861
Examiner Name	Judy Nguyen
Matter Number	Q58280
Title	INK-JET RECORDING DEVICE AND INK SUPPLY UNIT SUITABLE FOR IT

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted
 Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Previously filed
on _____
 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 Other _____

b. Enclosed
 Amendment/Reply 03/05/2002 TGEDAMU1 00000036 09525477
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) 01 FC:179 740.00 OP ✓
 Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
 Petition for Extension of Time
 Other _____

2. MISCELLANEOUS

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ Months
b. Other _____

3. FEES

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$740.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name Michael J. Whitehead Registration No. 48,071
Signature Michael J. Whitehead ✓ Date March 4, 2002

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